# Quotation Request //

# **US Government Publishing Office**

**JACKET:040-037** 

Agency Publishing Services 732 North Capitol Street, NW Washington DC 20401-0001 **Quotations are Due By:** (Eastern Time)1:00 PM on 12/11/2020

Submit Quotes Online, unless otherwise instructed, via: https://contractorconnection.gpo.gov/openjobs.aspx Contractor must provide mandatory W-9 form before GPO makes payment.

**TITLE:** USCP Motorcycle Windshield Decal

QUANTITY: 520 total decals. Item #1: 260 - Official Motorcade; Item #2: 260 - Alternate Official

Motorcade

SUBMISSION OF QUOTES: Vendor to submit quotes via Quick Quote

(https://contractorconnection.gpo.gov/OpenJobs). Late quotes will not be accepted. All problems submitting quotes via Quick Quote must be reported prior to bid opening time to APS DC Team on 202-512-0307.

TRIM SIZE: 3 x 3"

**SCHEDULE:** 

Furnished Material will be available for pickup by 12/14/2020

Deliver complete (to arrive at destination) by 12/23/2020

F.O.B. destination

**QUALITY LEVEL:** 3 Quality Assurance Through Attributes (GPO PUB 310.1, effective May 1979 (Rev.

9-19)) applies.

**DESCRIPTION:** 

All the requirements of these specifications apply equally to all items unless otherwise indicated herein.

Warning: Proper control and handling must be maintained at all times to prevent any information or materials required to produce the product ordered under these specifications from falling into unauthorized hands. Unless otherwise indicated herein, all extra copies, materials, waste, etc., must be destroyed.

PRINTING: Screen Printing Required.

Face prints text/rule matter, screens, solids and fine line logos in 4-color process with some type reversing out to appear white. Full bleeds. After printing, coat the face of each decals with a clear protective weather resistant coating.

Waterproof inks required.

Ink, vinyl, and adhesive must withstand outdoor weather conditions.

Fade Resistance: The inks/paints used must not show any appreciable change in color after exposure in an Atlas Fadeometer for 680 standard fading hours or its equivalent.

### CONSTRUCTION:

Coat the entire back of each decal with a permanent, pressure sensitive adhesive (adhesive must not damaging to vechile or vehicle paint), protected by a suitable same size backing sheet/liner with easy removal feature (slit/perforate backing sheet/liner for easy removal across entire 3").

The adhesive must be suitable for adhering to outside of motorcycle Plexiglas windshields. Decals will be used outdoors and will be exposed to all types of extreme weather conditions (-10 degrees to 105 degrees Farenheit). Decals must be tamper proof and must be able to withstand road chemicals, and car wash chemicals/materials.

Removal of decal once it is applied to windshield should result in destruction of decal leaving a minimum of adhesive residue.

MATERIAL FURNISHED: Contractor to receive. .

Via email after award.

One (1) Purchase order.

One (1) Zip file.

GPO Form 892 (R. 12/17) Proofs

GPO Form 2678 (departmental random copies-blue label).

GPO Form 917 (Certificate of Selection).

Contractor to download the "Labeling and Marking Specifications form (GPO Form 905, R. 7-15) from gpo.gov, fill in appropriate blanks, and attach to shipping containers.

Prior to image processing, the contractor shall perform a basic check (preflight) of the furnished media and publishing files to assure correct output of the required reproduction image. Any errors, media damage, or data corruption that might interfere with proper file image processing must be reported to the contract administrator.

The contractor shall create or change any necessary trapping, set proper screen angles and screen frequency, and define file output selection for the imaging device being utilized. Furnished files must be imaged as necessary to meet the assigned quality level.

**PAPER:** \* Must be in accordance with JCP Paper Specification Standards in effect on date of this order Destructible Reflective White Vinyl, 0.003-0.006" thick.

#### **COLOR OF INK:**

4-color process plus weather resistant coating.

**PRINT PAGE:** One Side Only

# **MARGINS:**

Bleeds all sides.

Follow electronic media.

### **PROOFS:**

PRIOR TO PRODUCTION SAMPLES: Prior to the commencement of production of the contract production quantity, the contractor shall submit samples to: U.S. Government Publishing Office, Room C-730, 44 H Street, NW, Washington, DC 20401, M/F: "CONGRESSIONAL", Attn: Cathy DeVinney (202-512-0224). Not less than (5) samples will be tested for conformance of material(s) and will be tested for usage on the specified equipment and/or for construction. The container and accompanying documentation shall be marked PREPRODUCTION SAMPLES and shall include the GPO jacket, purchase order, and program numbers. The samples must be submitted in sufficient time to allow Government testing of the samples and production and shipment in accordance with the shipping schedule.

The Government will approve, conditionally approve, or disapprove the samples within (5) workdays of the receipt thereof. Approval or conditional approval shall not relieve the contractor from complying with the specifications and all other terms and conditions of the contract. A conditional approval shall state any further action required by the contractor. A notice of disapproval shall state the reasons therefor. If the samples are disapproved by the Government, the Government, at its option, may require the contractor to submit additional samples for inspection and test, in the time and under the terms and conditions specified in the notice of rejection. Such additional samples shall be furnished, and necessary changes made, at no additional cost to the Government and with no extension in the shipping schedule.

The Government will require the time specified above to inspect and test any additional samples required. In the event the additional samples are disapproved by the Government, the contractor shall be deemed to have failed to make delivery within the meaning of the default clause in which event this contract shall be subject to termination for default, provided however, that the failure of the Government to terminate the contract for default in such event shall not relieve the contractor of the responsibility to deliver the contract quantities in accordance with the shipping schedule.

In the event the Government fails to approve, conditionally approve, or disapprove the samples within the time specified, the Contracting Officer shall automatically extend the shipping schedule in accordance with Contract Clause 12, "Notice of Compliance with Schedules," of GPO Contract Terms (GPO Publication 310.2, effective December 1, 1987 (Rev. 01-18)).

Manufacture of the final product prior to approval of the sample submitted is at the contractor's risk. Samples will not be returned to the contractor. All costs, including the costs of all samples shall be included in the contract price for the production quantity. All samples shall be manufactured at the facilities in which the contract production quantities are to be manufactured.

## **PACKING:**

Shrink wrap in 50's.

Keep items separate.

# **DISTRIBUTION:**

Contractor must notify the ordering agency on the same day that the product ships/delivers via e-mail sent to mdevinney@gpo.gov. The subject line of this message shall be "Distribution Notice for Jacket 040-037, Requisition Number 1-00040". The notice must provide all applicable tracking numbers, shipping method, and Title. Contractor must be able to provide copies of all delivery, mailing, and shipping receipts upon agency request.

Deliver 260 decals of Item 1 and 260 decals of Item 2 (includes 50 Departmental Random "Blue Label" Copies of each Item) plus (includes 10 samples of each Item) via traceable means to U.S. Government Publishing Office, Room C-730, 44 H Street, NW, Washington, DC 20401, M/F: ?CONGRESSIONAL, Attn: Cathy DeVinney (202-512-0224).

All expenses incidental to submitting proofs, furnishing samples and returning materials, must be borne by the contractor.

**QUALITY ASSURANCE LEVELS AND STANDARDS:** The following levels and standards shall apply to these specifications:

Inspection Levels (from ANSI/ASQC Z1.4):

(a) Non-destructive Tests -- General Inspection Level 1.

(b) Destructive Tests -- Special Inspection Level S-2.

Specified standards to correspond with each required attribute as follows:

ATTRIBUTE Specified Standard

P-7. Type Quality and UniformityOK Priors / Furnished Electronic Media

P-10. Process Color MatchOK Priors / Furnished Electronic Media

PREAWARD SURVEY: In order to determine the responsibility of the prime contractor or any subcontractor, the Government reserves the right to conduct an on-site pre-award survey at the contractor's/subcontractor's facility or to require other evidence of technical, production, managerial, financial, and similar abilities to perform, prior to the award of a contract. As part of the financial determination, the low contractor may be required to provide one or more of the following financial documents:

- 1) Most recent profit and loss statement
- 2) Most recent Balance Sheet
- 3) Statement of cash flows
- 4) Current official bank statement
- 5) Current lines of credit (with amounts available)
- 6) Letter of commitment from paper supplier(s)
- 7) Letter of commitment from any subcontractor

The documents will be reviewed to validate that adequate financial resources are available to perform the contract requirements. Documents submitted will be kept confidential, and used only for the determination of responsibility by the Government. Failure to provide the requested information in a timely manner may result in the Contracting Officer not having adequate information to reach an affirmative determination of responsibility.

PAYMENT: Submitting invoices for payment via the GPO fax gateway (if no samples are required) utilizing the GPO barcode coversheet program application is the most efficient method of invoicing. Instruction for using this method can be found at the following web address: http://winapps.access.gpo.gov/fms/vouchers/barcode/instructions.html.

Invoices may also be mailed to: U.S. Government Publishing Office, Office of Financial Management, Attn: Comptroller, Stop: FMCE, Washington, DC 20401.

For more information about the billing process refer to the General Information of the Office of Finance web page located at https://www.gpo.gov/how-to-work-with-us/vendors/how-to-get-paid.

Attachment(s): NONE